

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

STEINMETZ et al.

Filed: April 4, 2001

Serial No. 09/841,205

For: SELF-SHARPENING
TICKET SCRATCHER

Examiner: Balsis, Shay L.

Art Unit: 1744

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION

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8/26/03

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2003, please cancel without prejudice
claims 1-22 and add new claims 23-38 as follows:

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